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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor(s): Mitsugu OGIURA
For: ACCELERATION SENSOR AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

This is a ☐ CONTINUING ☒ DIVISIONAL ☐ CONTINUATION-IN-PART of prior application Serial No. 10/045,965 Filed January 10, 2002, currently pending.


Enclosed are:

- 23 Pages of Specification
5 Sheet(s) of drawing (☐ formal ☒ informal)
☒ Copy of Declaration and Power of Attorney from prior application 10/045,965 (for continuing and divisionals).
☒ Copy of Revocation of Power of Attorney or Authorization of Agent, Power of Attorney of Authorization of Agent, and
☒ Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) from prior application 10/045,965.
☒ An assignment to Murata Manufacturing Co., Ltd. of 26-10 Tenjin 2-chome, Nagaokakyo-shi, Kyoto-fu 617-8555, JAPAN was filed and recorded in the prior application on March 28, 2002, Reel 012760, Frame 0271.
☒ A certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 2001-004587 filed January 12, 2001 from which priority is claimed in the subject case pursuant to Rule 55b and 35 U.S.C. 119. was filed in prior application No. 10/045,965.
☒ Change of Correspondence Address
☒ Incorporation by Reference - The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied as indicated above, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) - Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) in the prior application.
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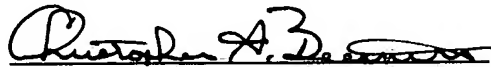
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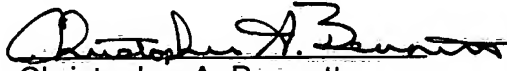
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